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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2002, upon the application of THE MERIDIAN RESOURCE & EXPLORATION, LLC.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Bol Mex 3 Zone**, **Reservoir A**, in the East Lake Arthur Field, Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To permit applicant, The Meridian Resource & Exploration, LLC to drill, designate and utilize a substitute unit well for the BOL MEX 3 RA SUA, such well to be at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To confirm The Meridian Resource & Exploration, LLC as the operator of the BOL MEX 3 RA SUA.
- To find that, except to the extent contrary to the order granted by the Commissioner of Conservation in connection with the hearing held on this application, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 652-G, as revised, shall remain in full force and effect.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Bol Mex 3 Zone, Reservoir A, in the East Lake Arthur Field, Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 652-G, effective December 5, 2000 and revised by Office of Conservation Order No. 652-G-1, effective April 24, 2001.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana or may be found at the following site:

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING

DATE.